

Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office of the Governor

Whereas, National Girls and Women in Sports Day was chartered by the United States Congress in 1986 to honor female athletic achievement and recognize the importance of sports and fitness participation for all girls and women; and,

Whereas, The 2003 theme for National Girls and Women in Sports Day is, "Succeed in Sports, Lead in Life"; and,

Whereas, T.F. Riggs High School and the Pierre Athletic Booster Club promote the positive influence of physical fitness, athletic competition, and sportsmanship in girls sports; and,

Whereas, T.F. Riggs High School and the Pierre Athletic Booster Club recognize the past and present achievements and struggles of girls and women in sports; and,

Whereas, Girls sports promote physical fitness, fair competition, personal growth, leadership, and sportsmanship:

Now, Therefore, I, M. Michael Rounds, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim February 7, 2003, as


Girls and Women in Sports Day

in Pierre, South Dakota.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twenty-third Day of January in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Three.


M. Michael Rounds, Governor

Attest:


Chris Nelson, Secretary of State

